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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICATION OF)
AHTI KOSKI ET AL)
SERIAL NUMBER: TO BE ASSIGNED)
FILED: HEREWITH)
TITLE: MODULAR REACTOR SYSTEM)
ALLOWING CONTROL OF)
PARTICLE SIZE DURING)
CHEMICAL PRECIPITATION)

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Upon the granting of a Serial Number and Filing Date and prior to the examination of the subject application, kindly amend the Specification and claims as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

On page 5, before line 7, kindly insert the following:

-- BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS

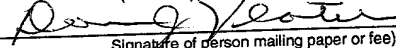
Figure 1 shows the base module, which is the minimum required in the design.

Figure 2 shows an additional module which has been added to the base module of Figure 1. --.

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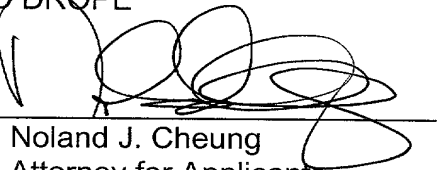
REMARKS

The Applicants respectfully request the Preliminary Amendment be entered as the amendment places the claims as well as the Specification in proper form. New Claim 11 corresponds to now cancelled Claim 10. New Claims 12 - 19, which are dependent on Claim 11, correspond to Claims 2 - 9. The Applicants respectfully submit that no new matter is added.

Respectfully submitted,

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